REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Circular No. D. 1525-30, dated 11th March 1909.

In continuation of this office Circular No. 1111-18, dated 19th—22nd February 1909, has the honor to state that it is very desirable that all works proposed to be taken in hand during this season of distress should be marked in a map so as to afford ready facilities for finding their exact situation and identification as required in para 17 of the Famine Code. The Deputy Commissioners of Districts are therefore requested to have maps prepared as suggested below and to have one copy of each submitted to this office:—

A. *Maps.*

2. Taluk maps may be used as they are drawn to a sufficiently large scale to admit of the insertion of all works, both large and small, and as the Amildars are familiar with them. On these maps the longitude and latitude should be marked by marginal lines at every 5 minutes, exactly as in the Topo maps. Tracings of these should then be taken and on them through lines of longitude and latitude should be drawn in thick red ink at intervals of 10 minutes beginning with the first multiple of 10′ in the map, which will correspond to about $11\frac{1}{9}$ miles square, each of which will be a *Circle* or *Division*. Numbers of the Topo maps containing the taluk should be noted, both on the original drawing and the tracing. These maps once filled in with the above information will ever after afford facilities for inter-reference between Topo and Taluk maps which is a great advantage.

3. A specimen of a Taluk map drawn to a scale of 4″=1 mile showing how latitude and longitude lines, etc., should be drawn is prepared in this office and circulated for information and guidance.

B. *Works.*

4 All works costing more than Rs. 250 only need be indicated on the map in *red* ink, when it is not otherwise specified, as follows:—

(1) Large Public works ... a_1, a_2, a_3, etc.
(2) Small public works ... b_1, b_2, b_3, etc.
(3) Village works, Civil ... c_1, c_2, c_3, etc.
(4) Village works, aided or unaided ... d_1, d_2, d_3, etc.
(5) Drinking water wells ... ⊙ in blue pencil.
(3 Irrigation wells ... □ in blue pencil.
(7) Temporary drinking water wells ... ⊕ in red pencil.
(8) Filling trenches ... ////// in red pencil.

Note.—Immediately below the above first 4 classes of works should be noted the amount of the estimate available for relief labour.

C. *Statement.*

5. The statement of sanctioned works should be prepared, submitting a copy of it to this office, giving each work a consecutive number; and the number once given to a particular work should on no account be changed subsequently. These numbers should be marked on the plan opposite to the work in red ink in brakets, thus:—(1), (2), etc. As small works costing less than Rs. 250 do not appear in the map, a separate index sheet of such works as shown below may be prepared and kept attached to the plan.

(6) Well at	
(11) Temporary well at. ..	
	(4) Removing prickly-pear, etc., in ..... village
	(16) Do .....
	(18) Well at .....

When fresh works are sanctioned, they should be inserted both in the plan and the statement in accordance with instructions given above. The same will also be done in this office.

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Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 5th March 1909.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that kulwar chittas from 1813 to 1883 of Krishnarajpete Taluk, Mysore District, which were preserved in the Taluk Records will be destroyed after three months from this date. Those requiring copies of them may apply and obtain them within the prescribed time.

M. KANTARAJ URS,
Dy. Comr.